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â€˜Har Khet ko Paaniâ€™ under PMKSY
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the works undertaken by the Government so far in various States of the country including Uttar Pradesh regarding 'Har Khet ko Paani' (water for every field) by 2022 under the Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojana (PMKSY) during the last three years; and

(b) the details of the targets fixed by the Government under the scheme for the ensuing years and the details of action plan in this regard, year-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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(a) & (b): Under Har Khet Ko Pani Component of PMKSY, the Command Area Development & Water Management (CADWM) programme has been taken up by Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation (MoWR, RD&GR) with a view to enhance utilization of irrigation potential created and improve agriculture production on a sustainable basis through Participatory Irrigation Management. During last three years (2014-15 to 2016-17), Field Channels/On Farm Development (OFD) works has been undertaken in 9.97 lakh ha under CADWM programme in the States including Uttar Pradesh. In Uttar Pradesh, 0.84 lakh ha has been taken for construction of Field Channels/On Farm Development (OFD) works.

MoWR, RD&GR has taken up 99 prioritized AIBP projects in various States including Uttar Pradesh, for completion along with their Command Area Development works under PMKSY in a mission mode. The targeted Culturable Command Area (CCA) of the balance CAD works under these prioritized projects is 72.62 lakh hectares. In so far as Uttar Pradesh is concerned, the target is 16.53 lakh ha.

Besides, under Watershed Development Component (WDC) of PMKSY, 8214 watershed development projects in 28 States including Uttar Pradesh are being implemented covering an area of 39.07 M.ha. for development of rainfed portions of net cultivated area and culturable wastelands. WDC of PMKSY (earlier Integrated Watershed Management Programme) is implemented in 612 projects in Uttar Pradesh covering 3.04 M.ha. Besides, Per Drop More Crop component of PMKSY is also implemented to supplement drought proofing measures through water conservation and water harvesting activities. As per available reports from States, so far, about 1.14 lakh ha of protective irrigation potential has been created and it is targeted to bring 1 lakh ha under protective irrigation during 2017-18. The coverage in Uttar Pradesh under Per Drop More Crop component is 8081 ha.
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